GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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ROAD NETWORK IN LAKSHADWEEP
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government for the development of road network in Lakshadweep Islands; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) [MAJOR GENERAL (RETI KHANDURI, AVSM]

(a)&(b) : This Ministry is responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways and policy matters relating to road transport. There is no National Highway in Union Territory of Lakshadeep. However, for the development of roads in the Union Territory of Lakshadweep an amount of Rs. 2.33 lakhs has been released in March, 2001 from Central Road Fund.